



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

Carlson et al.

Assignee:

Maxtor Corporation

Title:

DISK DRIVE WITH IMPROVED TECHNIQUES FOR

DETECTING HEAD FLYING HEIGHT (AS AMENDED)

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RESPONSE

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 28, 2000, please amend the application as follows:

In the Claims:

Amend the following claims:

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